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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
Naoya MATSUOKA :  
Application No.: Group Art Unit:  
Filed: June 17, 2005 Examiner:  
For: FUEL CELL SYSTEM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.